

## DIR® Institute Final Paper Proposal (FPP) Template

### Part One

- Applicant:
- Date:
- Discipline:
- Updated Candidate Reporting Form Submitted:
- Approving Tutor:
- Date of Approval:
- Availability of 3 video clips:
- Parent/Guardian consent form for case presentation and video clips (must be attached to FPP).

*If you are doing a comparison case, please provide a description of both children*

- Name of child (disguised):
- Age first Diagnosed:
- Current Age:
- Age you started working with child:
- Period you will cover in your write up (provide ages & dates):
- Frequency with which you worked with the child and family:
- Family constellation and ages:
- Intervention setting:
- Educational setting & level:
- Team Members:
- Initial DMIC Classification:
- Current DMIC Classification:
- Other Diagnosis (DSM, Language, SI, etc):
- Comments:

## Part Two

Please answer each question concisely. Do not use more than two single spaced pages. If you are doing a comparison paper, please use one page for each child and a third page to provide the rationale for comparing these two cases.

1. Why did I pick this case (or choose these two cases for comparison)?
2. What are the central conceptual issues that the(se) case(s) illustrate(s)?
3. Initial DMIC Axis I Classification (NDRC or SPRD type (or other IMH):
4. Current DMIC Axis 1 Classification:
5. Describe DIR profile:
6. At what FEDL level did this child begin?
7. What FEDL level did this child reach?
8. What were the primary clinical/educational challenges?
9. What was the relative rate of progress during the course of your intervention?
10. How did you work with the family?
11. Was a team involved and what role did you play?
12. If you did not work with a team in an ongoing way, what were your contacts with other therapists or school?
13. How did this case challenge you as an intervener?
14. How did new understanding of other disciplines help your work?
15. How did this case challenge you personally?
16. Other comments: